

COUNCIL MAY BOLT ON \$200,000 SCHOOL

Aldermen Say no Additional Appropriation Will be Made

MAY DELAY PLANS YEAR

Entirely New Set of Plans May be Drawn—Meeting Today

The common council will not make an additional appropriation over the \$125,000 already set aside for the construction of a new high school, and the indications at this time are that an entirely new set of plans will have to be drawn, to provide for a building that will not exceed in cost the amount appropriated.

This at least is the trend of talk among the city fathers today, following the opening of bids yesterday afternoon for the new high school and the discovery that the lowest combination of bids, including subcontracts for plumbing, heating, lighting, furnishing, etc., would make the new structure completed cost at least \$170,000; and figuring the usual amount of extras which develop during the construction of a big building the total cost would probably aggregate \$200,000.

Tribune reporters talked with several aldermen today and all said they did not favor any further appropriations for a new high school and would surely vote against any such proposition if it was brought up in the council. Every alderman who was seen seemed to favor the preparation of an entirely new set of plans to come within the amount appropriated, instead of attempting to shave down the present plans.

The board of public works cannot let any contract for the construction of the high school now, inasmuch as the bids all exceed the estimates of cost, and the proposition must perforce be referred back to the council by the board. The board is holding a meeting this afternoon regarding the matter.

The board decided late this afternoon to refer the high school matter, together with all the bids, back to the common council.

WEAVER REMOVES ANOTHER OFFICIAL

PHILADELPHIA, July 7.—George E. Pierin, in charge of the bureau of city property, today resigned at the request of Mayor Weaver.

MR. STRAS, HE TRIED TO STOP THE BILL POSTERS

Merchants' Association Gets Curteous Treatment From Mr. Gage, and Former Manager is "Shown"

It transpires that one of the last official acts of Manager Stras in connection with the La Crosse theater resulted in the drawing of a sharp contrast between the old and the new management that cannot fail to popularize Manager Gage with the business public. The story as told by businessmen who were acquainted with the facts is as follows:

On behalf of the Merchants' association a member went to Mr. Stras to solicit the use of the theater bill boards in advertising the carnival. He was told that a charge for the boards of \$15 would be made. On reporting to his associates, it was suggested that Manager Stras was to retire the next day, and that they await the assumption of the business affairs by Mr. Gage. This was done. "That's all right, you may take them," said Mr. Gage promptly.

The bill boards were taken, and

TOOK KNIFE TO BED

With Baneful Intention to Murder Sleeping Hubby—Divorced

On the representation that his wife at one time took a butcher knife to bed with her with the alleged intention of killing him while he slept, and that she was guilty of other cruel and inhuman treatment, and finally deserted him, J. H. Isbell of Burr Oak was today granted a divorce from Anna Isbell by Judge Fruit.

The complainant might have stood for the other cruel treatment and might even have forgiven his wife if she had returned after once deserting him, but when he found a butcher knife mixed up in the bed clothes upon awakening one morning he began to fear for his life, and the divorce suit was the result. His wife did not put in an appearance in the court when the case was called today, and Mr. Isbell had no difficulty in securing a decree from the court.

SULTAN IS A WRECK

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 7.—The illness of the sultan continues to cause alarm. His nervous breakdown is complete and he is unable to attend to any business.

NELSON SUIT MAY GO TO JURY TOMORROW

The case of N. R. Nelson against the C. & N. W. Ry. Co., which was taken up in circuit court yesterday, was resumed today. Physicians of the city occupied most of the day on the witness stand, the condition of Col. Nelson immediately after his first paralytic stroke being the much mooted question. Indications are the case will occupy at least another day in court.

MEN WHO INVESTIGATED EQUITABLE



SAMUEL UNTERMYER



M. E. DRISCOLL



LEARN- ING IS TOPIC

President Roosevelt Addresses National Teachers

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

OYSTER BAY, July 7.—The president left for Ocean Grove, N. J., at 11 o'clock to deliver an address before the National Educational association. Secretary Loeb and several secret service men accompanied the president, who will be joined at Jersey City by Senators Dryden and Kean.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., July 7.—The president and party arrived at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and were met by a committee of the National Education Association and proceeded to Ocean Grove. The president was enthusiastically received by the thousands of teachers.

Governor Stokes introduced him to the convention and after a few preliminary remarks the president delivered an address which was as follows:

I am glad to have the chance of greeting the National Educational association; for in all this democratic land there is no more genuinely democratic association than this. It is truly democratic, because here each member meets every other member as his peer without regard to whether he is the president of one of the great universities or the newest recruit to that high and honorable profession which has in its charge the upbringing and training of those boys and girls who in a few short years will themselves be settling the destinies of this nation. It is not too much to say that the most characteristic work of the republic is that done by the educators, for whatever our shortcomings as a nation may be, we have at least firmly grasped the fact that we can not do our part in the difficult and all-important work of self-government, that we can not rule and govern ourselves, unless we approach the task with developed minds and trained characters. You teachers make the whole world your debtor. If you did not do your work well this republic would not endure beyond the span of the generation. Moreover, as an incident to your avowed work, you render some well-nigh unbelievable services to the country. For instance, you render to the republic the prime, the vital service of amalgamating into one homogenous body the children alike of those who are born here and of those who come here from so many different lands abroad. You furnish a common training and common ideals for the children of all the mixed peoples who are here being fused into one nationality. It is in no small degree due to you and your efforts that we are one people instead of a group of jarring peoples.

Moreover, where altogether too much prominence is given to the mere possession of wealth, the country is under heavy obligations to such a body as this, which substitutes for the ideal of accumulating money the infinitely loftier, nonmaterialistic ideal of devotion to work worth doing simply for that work's sake. I do not in the least underestimate the need of

JUDGE BRINDLEY APPOINTED BY GOV. LA FOLLETTE

To Represent Wisconsin as Delegate to the National Convention of Charities and Corrections

Judge John Brindley, who is on his way to the Portland exposition, received word this morning by wire that he had been appointed by Governor La Follette to represent the state of Wisconsin as delegate to the national convention of charities and corrections, to be held in Portland from the 10th to 24th of July inclusive.

A warm personal friendship that exists between the governor and Judge Brindley as well as recognition of the

ROOT ACCEPTS THE PORTFOLIO OF STATE

WILL TAKE OATH IN TWO WEEKS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

OYSTER BAY, July 7.—The following was issued from the executive office this morning:

"Elihu Root has accepted the tender by the president of the office of secretary of state. He will take the oath of office in a couple of weeks, but it will necessarily be some little time before he closes his business affairs. He will not go to Washington permanently until some time in September."

CENSUS TROUBLE IN WINONA

The same trouble with the census is found everywhere. In Winona, Minn., where a similar census is being taken the board of trade has already authorized a second canvass, and has employed experts to make the recount. The census has fallen off there in about the same

HANGS FOR MURDER OF GIRL WHO JILTED HIM

KILLED COUSIN WHO OPPOSED IT

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

OWESBORO, Ky., July 7.—Robert Mathley was hanged in the jail yard at 4:46 o'clock this morning for the murder of Miss Emma Watkins whom he wanted to marry. At the same time he killed James Gregson, the girl's cousin, who opposed the match.

German Steamer Carrying Munitions of War Held

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

SAIGON, July 7.—The German steamer Litsun is detained here as a result of the discovery of war munition aboard.

No meeting of the Progressive association was called today to consider

POTEMKIN MAY BOMBARD YALTA

JUDGE DEFIES RULING

Hunt Refuses to be Ousted by Daniel's Decision

In spite of the fact that Court Commissioner Daniels has ruled that Acting County Judge C. W. Hunt is not legally qualified for the position Judge Hunt declares that he will continue to act as county judge until Judge Fruit decides upon the question. He was in the county court all day attending to the duties of the office.

Attorney Higbee secured a favorable decision late yesterday afternoon from Commissioner Daniels in the habeas corpus proceedings brought for the release of his client, Mr. Hultz, on the ground that Mr. Hunt was not legally qualified to act as county judge during Judge Brindley's absence. Mr. Hultz had been fined \$15 and costs for assault.

While Mr. Higbee secured the release of his client in this manner Mr. Hunt does not construe the decision of Commissioner Daniels to mean that he is ousted from his temporary office. On the contrary the acting judge declares that he is a duly qualified justice of the peace through his election as police justice and hence eligible to the appointment of acting county judge which Judge Brindley made the day before he left for the west.

Judge Hunt says that he has never qualified for justice of the peace in the Twelfth ward, to which position he was elected at the last election, because he had already qualified by filing a bond for the office of police justice of the city at large, to which he was elected at that time. He could see no good reason for filing two bonds with the city clerk.

The matter, however, will be taken up to Judge Fruit, and if the court rules that Mr. Hunt should have qualified as a ward justice in order to make him eligible to take Judge Brindley's place, the county judge's office will be temporarily vacated until Judge Fruit appoints some one to fill it. Whether he would appoint Mr. Hunt is purely a matter of conjecture.

In his decision Court Commissioner John A. Daniels held that the law provides that only regular county peace justices can act as temporary county judges, and held that Judge Hunt being a municipal judge and not a peace justice, could not hold the office.

LIGHTNING BURNS OLD M'DONALD BARN

LOSS THIS AFTER-NOON IS \$550

A big barn located in the 1400 block on Rose street, known as the old McDonald barn, was struck by lightning during the storm about 2:30 this afternoon and practically destroyed by fire. The loss is about \$550, partly covered by insurance.

The building had been purchased by Thomas & Phalon, who were just about to begin moving the structure down Rose street to Hager, where they were going to locate it on a corner lot, and remodel it into a feed mill to replace the structure they had just torn down.

Companies 2 and 4 from the north side and company No. 1 from the south side were called out to the fire,

Intense Excitement Prevails in Town in the Crimea

BATTLESHIP JOINS MUTINY

Elizabeth the Great is Said to Have Joined Outlaw Fleet

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

YALTA, Crimea, July 7.—Intense excitement prevails here owing to the fear that the Potemkin will bombard the city.

New Battleship Joins Potemkin.

LONDON, July 7.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says it is reported the crew of the battleship Catherine the Great have joined the mutineers. A dispatch from Theodosia says the Potemkin stopped a British steamer and compelled her to follow the battleship. A quantity of coal was taken from the steamer. According to this dispatch the Potemkin left Theodosia last night.

Potemkin Being Pursued.

THEODOSIA, July 7.—Reports to the effect that the Potemkin bombarded the town are untrue. Her present whereabouts are unknown here. The torpedo boat destroyer Smolny arrived here several hours after the Potemkin departed and after hurriedly coaling, put to sea evidently in pursuit of the outlawed vessel.

QUARRELS WITH MISTRESS; DROWNS THEIR CHILD

CHICAGO YOUTH UP FOR INHUMAN ACT

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

CHICAGO, July 7.—John Wicher, aged 22, was arrested today charged with throwing a six months' baby into the river at Webster avenue last night. A woman with whom Wicher has been living identified the baby as her's, and says they quarrelled over it and Wicher took it away.

HILL PLANS INTERNATIONAL AMALGAMATION

GREAT NORTHERN & CANADIAN ROADS IN

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WINNIPEG, July 7.—It is reported that James J. Hill is engineering a scheme for the amalgamation of the Grand Trunk, Canadian Northern and Great Northern with possibly the Intercolonial, which will give the combination two international lines.

SULTAN IS SORRY

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

NATIONS UNITE TO HONOR NAVAL HERO

FRANCE GIVES BODY OF JONES TO U. S.

Paris, July 7.—In the presence of the highest dignitaries of France, the diplomatic representatives of many foreign governments and civil and naval officials of the United States the body of Admiral John Paul Jones was formally delivered to the United States government. The ceremony was one combining impressive dignity with



ADMIRAL PAUL JONES.

Drilliant military and naval pomp in which the soldiers and sailors of France and the sailors of the United States united in rendering honors to the illustrious founder of the United States navy. The occasion was unique and probably without parallel, as the funeral was that of a revolutionary hero who had lain neglected in a foreign grave for over 100 years.

Dense Throng on the Streets.

Seldom has an event awakened such widespread interest in the French capital. Dense throngs packed the Champs Elysees and other principal thoroughfares to witness the imposing cortege. The ceremony of delivering the body was held in the American church on the Avenue de l'Alma at 3.30 p. m. The interior of this Gothic edifice was beautifully decorated with plants and flowers. At the foot of the chancel rested the casket wrapped in a United States flag and literally buried in masses of floral emblems.

Scene Was a Brilliant One.

The French government had taken charge of the arrangements and hui-siers of the foreign office, wearing impressive silver chains, acted as ushers. At the right of the altar sat Ambassador McCormick, Senior Special Ambassador Porter, Junior Special Ambassador Loomis, United States Senator Lodge, Rear Admiral Sigbee and other officers of the United States navy. The members of the diplomatic corps and officers of the army and navy. The members of the diplomatic corps were in full uniform. Scores of United States sailors in the uniforms on either side of the altar gave a fitting background to the imposing scene.

CEREMONIES AT THE TRANSFER

Cortege That Recorted the Casket to the Railway Station.

After brief religious services General Porter, wearing evening dress according to the French custom, with the red sash of the grand cross of the Legion of Honor across his breast, advanced alongside the casket and formally delivered the body to Loomis as the representative of the United States government, who accepted it in the name of the government and commissioned Admiral Sigbee to transport it to the United States. As the surprised choir took up "My Country 'Tis of Thee," the entire assemblage rose and joined in the strains of the patriotic hymn. Eight brawny sailors from the Brooklyn then stepped forward, and raising the casket on their shoulders bore it slowly from the church to the waiting gun carriage.

This was draped with the national colors and was drawn by six black horses. The cortege was now formed and proceeded along the Avenue de l'Alma, the Champs Elysees, across the Alexander bridge to the Esplanade des Invalides. Republican guards lined each side of the avenues, holding back the dense throngs, while all the converging streets were closed by barriers to prevent a crush. Heading the procession came a squadron of cuirassiers, stretching from curb to curb, with a division of infantry under General Frey.

After them rumbled the gun caisson bearing the flower-laden coffin with guards of United States sailors on either side. Back of the coffin was a long line of distinguished officials, headed by Ambassador McCormick, Special Ambassadors Porter and Loomis, Premier Rouvier and his cabinet, the foreign ambassadors and French generals and admirals, all walking, according to the French custom. The appearance of the detachment of 500 United States sailors and marines was the signal for enthusiasm all along the line. Last came another French division composed of infantry, cavalry and artillery.

Arriving at the Esplanade des Invalides an imposing picture was presented. The French government had erected a large pavilion in which to deposit the coffin. The pavilion was richly hung with crimson velvet, with martial emblems and battle axes, entwined flags and a row of brass field pieces along the front. Near by rose the gilded dome of the tomb of Napoleon. The casket was deposited in the center of the pavilion while the cortege

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passed, rendering military honors. Later it was borne to the Invalides railroad station and placed in a funeral car where, guarded by French and United States sailors, it started for Cherbourg at 10 p. m.

Appleton Library is Entered by Rob- bers

APPLETON, Wis., July 7.—Appleton's public library was entered last night, the burglar securing two checks, valued at nearly \$100, and \$2.63 in money. This is the seventh library entered in cities within 150 miles from Appleton within the last two weeks. The other cities visited were Marinette, Menominee, Green Bay, Neenah, Fond du Lac, Escanaba and Marquette.

Read the Tribune's north side news—the best always.

MONDAY OPENS A BANNER WEEK FOR LA CROSSE AMUSEMENT LOVERS

Monday, July 10th, is the beginning of the banner week for La Crosse, for it is the commencing of the Merchants' Carnival. For weeks past preparations have been going on and now everything is in readiness to entertain the vast crowds which are expected.

Mr. Francis Ferari, president of the Ferari Bros. Shows United, said today that the location (Market Square and intersecting streets), where the carnival is to be held is an ideal location for a street fair carnival, and expressed himself well pleased with all the arrangements that have been made by the Merchants' Protective association. Here the shows' sensational acts, concessions and other adjuncts which go to make up the complete carnival will be distributed and everything done to make this the greatest carnival in the history of the state. Especial care will be exercised to keep the grounds free from all objectionable characters and gambling devices. Every attraction presented by Ferari Brothers is worthy of any one's inspection, and the merchants have been equally careful in granting concessions only to legitimate business people.

The Free Shows.

For the entertainment of carnival visitors the merchants have secured a number of free acts which will be presented each afternoon and evening.

The principal attraction is the peerless "Diavolo," who will present his thrilling "loop-the-loop." This is said to be the veritable cap sheaf of all hazardous exploits, the culminating climax and crucial test of human cool courage. This one act alone is worth coming miles to see and has proven the one big sensation of the season. But Diavolo's daring feat is only one of the many free attractions which the merchants have provided. The afternoon and evening is to have its particular thrill. Free as air will be given the best of aerial and acrobatic acts, and the quaint and curious ceremonies of strange people of far-off lands will be enacted upon elevated stages. The free attractions alone will form a big day's entertainment and should not be missed.

Of the attractions which will be a part of the carnival too much cannot be said. The merchants were indeed fortunate in securing the big Ferari Bros' carnival company, said to be the world's most gorgeous and most costly carnival aggregation on the road. The company will arrive in the city Sunday from Davenport, Iowa. The outfit and army of attaches will arrive in two special trains of 20 cars each and their advent will no doubt be the signal for a big gathering at the railroad yards to witness the unloading. The aggregation carries as much paraphernalia as a circus and the exciting scenes incident to a circus unloading will be re-enacted.

If the enthusiastic praise accorded the company in other cities is to be a criterion, the big trained animal show is the banner attraction. A carnival is never complete without a trained beast pavilion, and Ferari Brothers this year present the Bar-

num of them all. Inside this gorgeous pavilion inside a strong steel arena are presented a number of acts by the most daring trainers the world has yet seen. On this iron bound stage fearless men and women will prove their absolute control over the kings of the forest and jungle. In mixed acts will appear lions, tigers, bears, wolves, hyenas, pumas, leopards, and panthers, while in exhibition dens will be seen rare specimens of almost extinct species of the ferocious beasts of far off lands.

The children own the dog and pony show, in which beautiful ponies and clever dogs and cunning monkeys are shown in wonderful tricks.

A popular attraction is the famous midgets who were the chief features of the big Philippine exhibit at the St. Louis fair. They are the two smallest people in the world, the little man being 29 inches in height, while his sister touches the yardstick at a scant 28 inches. They are respectfully 30 and 31 years and are perfectly developed.

Jewell's Marionettes brought direct to this country from England, are said to be the most wonderful little automaton actors ever seen. Under the manipulation of Jewell and his assistant, they are put through a marvelous performance equal to live actors.

Automaton musicians furnish music for this attraction and play the accompaniment to the intricate marches and ballet dances given by these wooden headed marvels, the whole thing being a reproduction of the Drury Lane pantomimes.

No visit to the carnival grounds will be complete without an inspection of the temple of Mirth. It is here where laughter reigns supreme. Once the visitor enters his troubles begin and inside this glass grotto there is a world of mystery which can be solved only by a visit.

The Palais du Costume, or electrical palace as it is sometimes called, features the beautiful Mamie. This show is one of the most magnificent spectacles ever presented with a carnival company.

The penny arcade or vaudeville parlor is a delightful place to pass away your time and also to pass away your pennies. In this building you will find over fifty metoscopes and other penny automatic devices entirely different from anything you have yet seen. This is said to be one of the most artistic, interesting and instructive exhibits that has ever been seen in this city.

The Palace of Surprises—but no, we cannot tell of the wonders of this attraction. That's a secret which each visitor must unravel for himself. In the electric pavilion will be exhibited the latest wonders of the moving picture machine, including exact reproductions of the turbulent scenes on Chicago streets during the teamsters' strike.

Conderman's mammoth Ferris wheel and a beautiful electric merry-go-round will also occupy prominent points in the park and will doubtless add to its pleasures.

FOUR BIG GENTRY SHOWS ARE COMBINED IN ONE

Up to the present season the Gentry Bros. have had four shows on the road each of the brothers managing one, but this season they have been combined in one big show and it now forms one of the leading amusement enterprises of this country. This big show in all its entirety will visit this city next Tuesday.

Probably no show receives a more cordial welcome in this city than do the Gentry Shows, and the one secret of why they are the most popular is that, each year they have visited this city, bringing us an almost entirely new show and much larger than on its previous visit, and another thing is that they have the neatest and most refined show on the road, as they cater especially to ladies and children.

The Gentry Shows that will visit this city, is under the personal management of Mr. H. B. Gentry the originator of these famous shows.

Two trains are now required to transport the big show from town to town and over 500 people are in their employ which shows the wonderful growth of what was once a small dog and pony show it is now classed among the leading enterprises of the

world. There are twice as many animals and people with this year's all new show than when they last visited this city. Besides the regular trained animal exhibition of which the Gentry Bros. are foremost in this line of amusement they have added a number of big and sensational circus features from both this country and abroad, which adds very much to the excellence of performances given in the past.

The grand street parade over one mile long comprising nine different sections each complete in itself will leave the show grounds at 10 o'clock next Tuesday morning. The parade presented by this well known circus firm this year is said to eclipse all former efforts by any circus as it presents a grand and gorgeous spectacle long to be recalled.

Two performances will be given, at 2:15 in the afternoon and at 8 o'clock sharp at night.

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YOUNG TRAVELER'S SCHOOL CENSUS IS FOOT CRUSHED BY TRAIN RUNNING AHEAD OF STATE

C. A. YOUNG HAS AMPUTATION TODAY

C. A. Young a young man of 20 years was injured in the Milwaukee yards on the north side last evening about 11:30 o'clock. Being unacquainted with the position of the switches and not being able to see them he jumped aboard a train a little ahead of one of them and was hanging out far enough to be brushed off and thrown under the cars. He was fortunate, however, and although the injury was very painful he only had a few toes crushed, one of which had to be amputated.

He is a well-appearing young man and has been employed for some time at Chicago and was on return trip home to Pasadena, Cal., when the accident occurred.

FRUIT TRAIN IS WRECKED ON DU- BUQUE DIV.

Early this morning about 2:30 a fruit train was wrecked on the Dubuque division of the Milwaukee at Kaines, between Lansing and New Albion.

Eight cars were derailed. No one was injured. The wrecking train and crew left the north side this morning at 2:45.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases

One of the men who are engaged in taking the school census said today that the report of the number of children of school age in the Fifteenth ward was running ahead of the report taken by the state census takers.

This seems to tally with the report given out by Mr. L. P. Philippi, the city directory compiler, who says that the state census takers have missed some of the people, because of insufficient knowledge in their line of work.

MISSSES BORRESON ENTERTAIN FRIENDS

The Misses Edna and Bertha Borreson of Caledonia street entertained last evening in honor of their cousin, Miss Anna Bothne of Chicago.

The evening was spent with games and several of the guests rendered some fine instrumental and vocal music.

Refreshments were served and all enjoyed a very pleasant evening. Those present were Misses Lila Anderson, Arlette and Charlette Fjellstad, Emma Rund, Pearl Johnson, Natalia Johnson, Adah Streeter, Clara Hanson, Bessie Goyette, Floy Cornelius of Polo, Ill., and Miss Anna Bothne of Chicago and Messrs. Nels Rund, Leland Widrick, Olaf and Oscar Myhre, Walter Peterson, Martin Munson, Al Hole, Ed Hammer, Leonard Larson, John Haroldson, Jos. Johnson, Ingvald Lien and Mr. Stork.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

James Squires, catcher for the Vought-Berger team who had one of his fingers injured at the St. Charles game some time ago is now able to play ball again. He has accepted a position at the Vought-Berger Co.

for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

The No. 2 engine from the La Crosse & Southeastern road is at the Burlington shops for repairs.

Peter Mahlum has returned from a few weeks' visit at Chaseburg.

Ben Lee and family of Berlin street have gone to Esophic, Vernon county, for an extended visit with relatives.

Miss Carrie Owens of Avon street has resumed her position as cashier at the No. 1 Langdon & Boyd Main street branch after several days' vacation.

Mrs. P. Vassle and family have left their home at 1311 Kane street and have gone to Chicago where they intend to reside for a year or more.

Walter Keizer of the Larson-Nein Clothing Co., and Eugene Rathburn of the La Crosse Rubber Mills have gone to Minneapolis for a two weeks' visit.

Glen Shaw has accepted a responsible position with the Wisconsin Telephone Co.

During the storm a few days ago the cable of the Wisconsin Telephone Co. was burned and several of the lines are now out of service. They are being repaired as fast as possible.

Miss Lottie Oertelle of New Lisbon is the guest of Miss Helen Swinrod of 306 Caledonia street for a few days.

GROCERS WILL CLOSE FOR THE PICNIC

N. Birnbaum, the Gillette street grocer, D. S. Fairbairn, secretary of the La Crosse Grocers' association, Henry Bitzer and A. Grams, a committee of the association to arrange with the grocers of the city to close on the 10th, the day of the picnic, completed their south side route yesterday. About a week ago they took in the north side.

Eight new members have been admitted into the association.

Stoughton Merchant Meets Death in Ry. Accident

STOUGHTON, Wis., July 7.—O. E. Terry, who conducted one of the largest general stores in this part of the state, was killed at Lincoln, Neb., by being run over by a train. He had gone west for his health, accompanied by his brother. While the coach in which he was riding was being switched in the Lincoln yards, he attempted to jump to the depot platform, but fell and was drawn under the wheels. All business will be abandoned on Saturday, the day of the funeral.

Read the Tribune—the paper that

Falls With a Tub of Water and Sprains his Ankle

Last evening while engaged in carrying out a tub of water, P. A. Peterson of Rose street suddenly stepped in a depression in the ground and wrenched his ankle in a most painful manner. Today he is unable to be about without the use of crutches.

Although the accident was a very painful one it was amusing. When his ankle turned Mr. Peterson sank to the ground, the tub overturned, spilling the water over him.

O. C. LEVERAUS ILL

Ole C. Leveraus of 1442 Berlin street, a well known carpenter, was taken suddenly sick with appendicitis last evening and was removed to the hospital where he will be operated upon.

The operation will be performed by Prof. Arnold and Dr. Houck.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

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NOW, EVERYBODY BOOST.

Carnival week is near. The merchants of La Crosse have been liberal in preparing for it, and honest effort and self sacrifice have contributed to arrangements that should make it an unqualified success. We have now reached the stage where everyone should make boosting a business.

In our opinion the carnival will be one of the best things for the city in a merchandising way that has come to us. It brings the crowds here with money to spend and with the purpose of spending it. It doesn't take the people out into the woods; it leaves them in the streets of the city and in easy reach of the establishments of our merchants. Of course it will take some money out of town, but not more than other attractions which we encourage that bring nothing in; the carnival will certainly bring in much more money than it sends out, and it will advertise the city in a liberal way.

The Tribune believes that when the merchants (who are the backbone of the city) devote so much of their time and money and energy to promote an enterprise of this kind, it is the duty of the public to give them loyal and enthusiastic support. What is good for the merchants of a city, is good for the whole city. We are all going to have a good time, and from today on we are all going to boost this carnival.

BILLBOARDS AND OTHER THINGS.

The incident in which Manager Stras "turned down" the Merchants' Association when asked for the loan of the theater billboards is unimportant so far as Mr. Stras is concerned. It is not news that the old theater management at times was careless of the interests and good will of the merchants, and it was no more surprising than was the incident in which the two organs attempted to hold up the Association for an extortionate rate for advertising after a liberal appropriation had been made them. These grabs don't get them anything but the ill-will of the people who feed them, and we hope that they will continue this short-sighted policy until they are thoroughly understood by every man who takes part in the public affairs of this city. Mr. Stras has given Mr. Gage an opportunity to demonstrate that he is a man of tact and liberality, and this should prove a satisfactory introduction of the new showman to the people to whose tastes and fancies he is destined to cater.

THE SIZE OF THE CITY.

Relative to the census, the statement that there are fewer people in La Crosse than there were five years ago is irreconcilable with known conditions. Five years ago there were 300 empty houses in La Crosse. Since that time there have been about 250 new houses built, and it is almost impossible to rent a dwelling in the city. That indicates the presence of 550 new families here since 1900, and at an average of 4 to each family, there should be an increase of 2,200 people.

At any rate, there are certainly not a smaller number of people here than there were in 1900. The statement that the census was padded on that occasion might be an explanation, but no one has shown or attempted to show by evidence that such is the case. On the other hand, many people are openly saying that they have evidence of failure to enumerate all the residents in the present census. Without any wish to be less than fair to the enumerators, we are inclined to believe that there is ample ground for a persistent and careful effort by the civic and governmental bodies of La Crosse to arrive at a more definite determination as to the actual population of the city. We cannot afford to misrepresent ourselves in this most important matter, and to acknowledge a slump in population would be accepting without defense a black eye the damage of which would be hard to estimate in dollars and cents.

OVERFLOWING RESERVOIRS GUARANTEE NAVIGATION

If the rainfall of July is as great as that of June, the upper Mississippi will see floods which will make the present swollen condition of the river look like a mere trickle, and untold damage will be the inevitable result.

Through June the great storage reservoirs in the northern part of Minnesota have, for all practical purposes, remained closed. As a result these reservoirs have caught the great flood of the upper Mississippi valley, and the present high condition of the river is due simply to the water which has drained in below the great dams. If July, however, gets the same downpour that June did, the reservoirs will be unable to hold the floodwater, which will rush down the

All of the up-river reservoirs are filled to the limit at present. Last Monday the great Winnibegishish reservoir reached its storage limit, 12,000,000,000 cubic feet. So far it has been partially open, but releasing only an amount of water that has been caught by the dams below before getting to the main river. Pokegama reservoir is now closed and full. Its capacity is 7,000,000,000 cubic feet. Leech Lake reservoir is not yet up to its limit, 22,000,000,000 cubic feet, but is rapidly rising and has already reached a point where it holds 18,000,000,000. Water is being released only for the necessary sluicing of logs. Sandy Lake reservoir has reached its limit 3,000,000,000 cubic feet. As

COURT DECIDES IN FAVOR OF TRUST MILLIONS

KANSAS OIL LAW UNCONSTITUTIONAL

TOPEKA, July 7.—The supreme court today in an unanimous opinion, declared the state oil refinery law unconstitutional. The refinery was declared to be the work of internal improvement, which the state is specifically forbidden to engage in, and that the establishment of a branch in the penitentiary at which oil is to be refined by the convicts is clearly a subterfuge.

of the Sandy lake dam is 8 to 11 feet higher than that of the river below. But at present because of the swollen condition of the stream the water on the upper side of the dam is but two and three-fourths of a foot higher.

At present the Pine river reservoir dam is being rebuilt, so instead of its holding back 8,000,000,000 cubic feet of water—its capacity—it now retains only 2,500,000,000 feet.

There is vastly more in the big reservoir now than is usual at this time of the year. Counting on very little rain through July, there is now sufficient water in storage to permit the government to guarantee good navigable stage of water in the Mississippi throughout the year.

LEARNING

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nestly insist that if our civilization does not build a lofty superstructure on this basis, we can never rank among the really great people. A certain amount of money is of course a necessary thing, as much for the nation as for the individual; and there are few movements in which I more thoroughly believe than in the movement to secure better remuneration for our teachers. But, after all, the service you render is incalculable, because of the very fact that by your lives you show that you believe ideals to be worth sacrifice, and that you are splendidly eager to do nonremunerative work if this work is of good to your fellow-men.

To furnish in your lives such a realized high ideal is to do a great service to the country. The chief harm done by the men of swollen fortune to the community is not the harm that the demagogue is apt to depict as springing from their actions, but the fact that their success sets up a false standard, and so serves as a bad example for the rest of us. If we did not ourselves attach an exaggerated importance to the rich man who is distinguished only by his riches, this rich man would have a most insignificant influence over us. It is generally our own fault if he does damage to us, for he damages us chiefly by arousing our envy or by rendering us sour and discontented. In his actual business relations he is much more apt to benefit than harm the rest of us; and though it is eminently right to take whatever steps are necessary in order to prevent the exceptional members of his class from doing harm, it is wicked folly to let ourselves be drawn into any attack upon the man of wealth merely as such. Moreover, such an attack is in itself an exceptionally crooked and ugly tribute to wealth, and therefore the proof of an exceptionally ugly and crooked state of mind in the man making the attack. Venomous envy of wealth is simply another form of the spirit which in one of its manifestations takes the shape of cringing servility toward wealth, and in another the shape of brutal arrogance on the part of certain men of wealth. Each one of these states of mind, whether it be hatred, servility, or arrogance, is in reality closely akin to the other two; for each of them springs from a fantastically twisted and exaggerated idea of the importance of wealth as compared to other things. The clamor of the demagogue against wealth, the snobbery of the social columns of the newspapers which deal with the doings of the wealthy, and the misconduct of those men of wealth who act with brutal disregard of the rights of others, seem superficially to have no fundamental relation; yet in reality they spring from shortcomings which are fundamentally the same; and one of these shortcomings is the failure to have proper ideals.

This failure must be remedied in large part by the actions of you and your fellow-teachers, your fellow-educators throughout this land. By your lives, no less than by your teachings, you show that while you regard wealth as a good thing, you regard other things as still better. It is absolutely necessary to earn a certain amount of money; it is a man's first duty to those dependent upon him to earn enough for their support; but after a certain point has been reached money-making can never stand on the same plane

The roll of American worthies numbers men like Washington and Lincoln, Grant and Farragut, Hawthorne and Poe, Fulton and Morse, St. Gaudens and MacMonnies; it numbers statesmen and soldiers, men of letters, artists, sculptors, men of science, inventors, explorers, roadmakers, bridge builders, philanthropists, moral leaders in great reforms; it numbers men who have deserved well in any one of countless fields of activity; but of rich men it numbers only those who have used their riches aright, who have treated wealth not as an end, but as a means, who have shown good conduct in acquiring it and not merely lavish generosity in disposing of it.

Trice fortunate are you to whom it is given to lead lives of resolute endeavor for the achievement of lofty ideals, and, furthermore, to instill, both by your lives and by your teachings, these ideals into the minds of those who in the next generation will, as the men and women of that generation, determine the position which this nation will hold in the history of mankind.

MIKE DUNNE GETS YEAR AND HALF FOR BRIBERY

MILLIONAIRE BRIBER FREE BY TELLING

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)
MILWAUKEE, July 7.—Michael Dunne, former building inspector, was sentenced to a year and a half in the house of correction on the charge of accepting a bribe of \$2,500 from Col. Gustav Pabst, for a permit to build a riding academy on illegal specifications. Pabst escaped by turning state's evidence.

CHILDREN GOING BLIND IN SCHOOL

FULLY 60,000 IN MINNESOTA HAVE DEFECTIVE EYESIGHT.

Hearing of 10,000 is Defective—Results of Test by State Board of Health.

ST. PAUL, July 7.—The Pioneer Press says: "Fully 60,000 pupils of the Minnesota public schools are suffering from defective eyesight, and not less than 100,000 are afflicted with defective hearing. This is exclusive of the Twin Cities."

"This is considered a conservative estimate, based on the record of the first years inspection of the eyes and ears of the school children, which has been carried on by the state board of health, assisted by the state superintendent of public instruction and the school authorities throughout the state."

"What is still more significant, the parents of very few of these pupils are taking any apparent precaution against greater defects and possibly loss of eyesight. Of the 3,141 reported as having defective eyesight, only 319, about 10 per cent, are wearing glasses."

"When it is considered that poor eyesight and hearing frequently lead to more serious disease of various kinds, the situation may be said to be serious. Physicians say that children frequently contract spinal diseases of the most virulent type by being compelled to lean over their desks to read."

Result of Tests.

"The official report of inspections made during the school year, which has just closed, was announced yesterday by Dr. H. M. Bracken, secretary of the state board of health. It shows that of 21,768 pupils examined, 3,141, more than 14 per cent, had defective eyesight, and 512, about 2.33 per cent, suffered from defective hearing."

"It is probable that the percentage of pupils having defective eyesight and hearing is greater than this, for the reason that the tests applied by the teachers are very simple and are calculated to bring out only the more serious defects. Moreover, only 18,063 pupils are reported as having normal eyes, and those that are not normal, 3,705, naturally are defective."

"Tests were made in fifty-five cities and villages in all parts of the state, and it is thought that the percentage of defective cases will be maintained throughout the state. In 1904 there were 424,663 pupils in the public schools, so that a fair estimate of the number having defective eyesight is something over 60,000, and of those having defective hearing over 100,000."

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FEDERAL COURT HAS AUTHORITY IN POWERS CASE

FIGHT OF CONDEMNED MAN IS LOST

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)
MAYSVILLE, Ky., July 7.—Judge Cockran of the United States district court, today held that the federal court has jurisdiction in the case of Caleb Powers, under sentence of death for alleged complicity in the assassination of Goebel. Powers' attorney made a hard fight to have the case taken out of the state courts.

GERMANY IS AFTER "SYSTEM'S" INSURANCE COS.

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)
BERLIN, July 7.—The insurance department of the German government has demanded of the Equitable and Mutual insurance companies of New York that they declare by August 1 in what manner they propose separating the premium reserves on German policies from the general reserves and how they intend to invest them. The amounts affected in the two companies is about thirteen million dollars.

FARMINGTON HAS TOO MANY WOLVES

Ned Miller, a young farmer from the town of Farmington, who received from the county clerk today bounty for a wolf cub, says that his community is literally alive with wolves and farmers are considering a plan to organize and hunt them out of the country with the aid of hounds and guns.

Cross country hunts behind the hounds are getting to be quite a common thing out in Farmington, residents of the community having learned that this is the most effective means of running the sly animals to earth. Mr. Miller's hound caught the cub killed yesterday on the run across a field near the house and made short work of the animal. Mr. Miller stated that not only were the wolves increasing in number at an alarming rate but they are constantly getting bolder, and farmers frequently see them hovering around in the neighborhood of their barns looking for stray chickens.

CENSUS INSTANCE

One instance reported where an entire family was overlooked by the enumerators in the Fourth ward, one of the most thickly populated of any of the city wards, was found at the home of W. E. Walker, the insurance man. The enumerator visited the Walker home, but failed to take any count of a family residing upstairs.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The firm of Gilbertson & Cook (The Mecca) is dissolved. Andy Gilbertson retains the business. All parties having claims against the co-partnership are requested to present them promptly.

ANDY GILBERTSON.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

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To go out of the Retail of Wall Paper and in order to reduce our large stock we will sell our high-class grade of goods at prices never before given. We are also overstocked on Room Mouldings, Plate Rails, etc., and will make special prices on all goods along this line. We are also doing a high grade work of painting and interior decorating at moderate prices; all work guaranteed first-class. Come in and give us a chance to figure.

S. E. HANSON,

MAKE DEAF HEAR PLAINLY IN ONE MINUTE

REMARKABLE DEMONSTRATION

MILWAUKEE, July 7.—Excitement over the marvelous cures of the Great Cooper continues unabated. One of the largest crowds that has yet called upon the noted philanthropist visited him yesterday, and a remarkable demonstration of his power was given before the entire audience. Selecting an elderly gentleman, whom he noticed carrying an ear trumpet, Cooper motioned for him to come forward. He poured a few drops of a peculiar liquid into the man's ears and then rubbed them softly for a moment. Stepping quickly backward to a distance of sixty feet, he asked in an ordinary conversational tone, "Can you hear me?" A look of surprise and delight spread over the man's face, as he answered, "Yes, I hear you perfectly."

The gentleman stated that it was the first time he had heard the sound of a human voice without the use of a trumpet in twenty years. He left the crowd before his name could be learned.

Many of those who called had come to thank Cooper for what he had done for them, they having previously written him a statement of their condition, and having followed his instructions had returned to tell him of their cure.

A man by the name of Wm. A. Pallierne exhibited a glass jar, containing a parasite fifty-five feet long, which he claimed had passed from his system, after taking seven doses of Cooper's medicine. The parasite was alive and squirming, and Pallierne was anxious to know what it was. When Cooper informed him that the cause of his ill health had been removed, he was greatly relieved and was profuse in his thanks to the philanthropist.

Thousands of people viewed the parasite and expressed surprise that such a thing could exist in the human system. Mr. Pallierne is a well known electrician, living at No. 190 Eighth street. In speaking of his experience, he said: "Ever since I was a child, I have been a victim of stomach trouble. I would have a bloating sensation and the least exertion would tire me. I could not stand on my feet any length of time without having severe pains in my back. My appetite was irregular, and I did not seem to get any strength or nourishment from my food. I had frequent attacks of dizziness, and dark spots appeared before my eyes. I was restless at nights, my tongue was coated and I had a bad taste in my mouth."

"The doctors said my liver was in bad condition. I have taken every medicine I could hear of without receiving the least benefit."

A week ago, I wrote to Mr. Cooper, telling him of my condition. He wrote me to get a certain kind of medicine from the drug store. I did so, and had only taken seven doses when this parasite fifty-five feet long passed from my system. I experienced almost immediate relief. My appetite has returned, I no longer feel faint and dizzy, the feeling of bloating has disappeared, and I am already stronger than I have been for years."

I know of many other wonderful cures Mr. Cooper has made. I wanted to pay him for what he had done for me, but he would not accept one penny for his services. Just told me if I knew any one who was ill to tell them to write to him, care of the Plankinton Hotel.

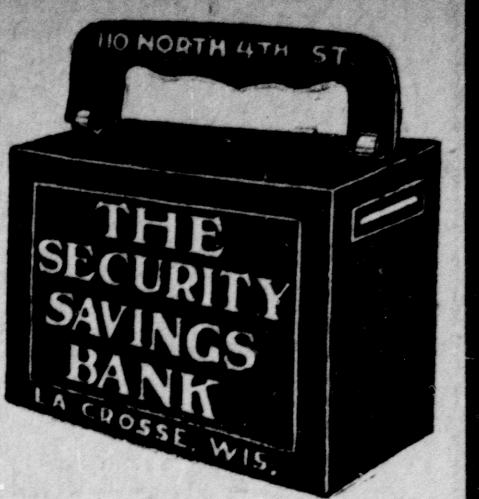
Cooper receives an enormous daily mail. Letters are coming from every part of the state, asking for advice. The philanthropist reads every letter carefully, and replies to each one, advising the remedy which is applicable to each individual case.

While his remarkable cures are the chief topics of conversation, many stories are heard on the streets and in business places of his goodness to the poor. His gifts of food, money and clothing have relieved a great amount of distress and have greatly endeared him to the people.

He is beginning to show the great strain he has been under during the past two weeks, and it is understood that he will remain here only one more week.

Very Low Excursion Rates to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, etc.,

Via the North-Western Line, will be in effect from all stations July 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 25, 26 and 27, with favorable return limits, on account of various meetings. Two fast trains to the Pacific Coast daily. "The Overland Limited" (electric lighted throughout), less than three days en route. Another fast train is "The California Express" with drawing room and tourist sleeping cars. The best of everything. For rates, tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.



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FORTY-FOURTH SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT

Of the State Bank of La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, at close of business, June 30, 1905:

| Resources. | |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| Loans and discounts | \$616,676.56 |
| Overdrafts | 22.93 |
| U. S. and other bonds and securities | 80,488.74 |
| Banking house, furniture and fixtures | 12,000.00 |
| Cash Resources— | |
| Due from banks | \$241,408.83 |
| In vault | 74,218.49 |
| | \$315,627.32 |
| Liabilities. | |
| Capital stock | \$50,000.00 |
| Surplus | 50,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | 2,945.27 |
| Dividends unpaid | 135.00 |
| Deposits | 921,734.98 |
| | \$1,024,815.25 |
| GEO. H. RAY, | President. |
| J. M. HOLLEY, | Cashier. |

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Let's show our visitors that we're **wide awake!** Let's show them that old La Crosse, when she feels like it, can rub the dust out of her eyes, sit up and **take notice** of things. Let's have next week for our very own. Let's bring **new** people to La Crosse. Let's make them **like** the old place so well that they'll want to **live** here. Let's all get ready in our best bib and tucker and give the **glad hand** of fellowship to every wandering stranger who enters our portals.

The Continental Will Do It's Share Gladly!

Yes, we'll do our share! **We'll begin tomorrow** to deal out the best clothes in the land at bargain prices so that every man of La Crosse can look his best when the people come. In many departments we will cut our prices down to cost, **actual cost.** All who want to fix themselves in gala attire for the biggest week La Crosse ever saw will please take notice that we make the offer wide and sweeping.

We'll Sell Clothes For What They Cost Us!

Now take a look through the special bargains held out for tomorrow. Check off what you will want for carnival week. Bring the list to the Continental and we'll do exactly as we advertise.

Again We Say, Let's All Pul' Together!
Here's How The Continental Will Pull!

Furnishings



For Carnival week, Men's extra fine white pleated shirts 1 pair detached cuffs, the celebrated Gold and New Columbia brands, sold at \$1.50, special sale price..... **\$1.00**

For Carnival week, extra quality Men's fancy shirts, also mohair fronts, with and without collars, other stores 75c, value here..... **50c**

For Carnival week, Men's 50c quality salmon and blue ribbed undershirts and drawers, special for Carnival week..... **39c**

For Carnival week, Men's black white stripe shirts, plain and double fronts 48c quality, special sale price..... **39c**

For Carnival week, 50 dozen Wilson Bros. Suspenders, light and medium weight regular 25c values, our special sale price..... **13c**

Men's Hosiery for Carnival week, Men's 25c fancy hosiery in an abundance of patterns, special for carnival week..... **15c**
2 pair 25c.

Boys' Shirts, Boys' fancy percale Negligee Shirts, laundered, detached and attached collars, our former selling price 50c, special for carnival week..... **35c**

Balbriggan Underwear, Men's Ecu color balbriggan underwear, shirts and drawers, size 34 to 46 splendid values at... **25c**

Men's Summer Suits

For Carnival Week we will tomorrow place on sale hundred of men's and young men's Suits, regular \$10.00 garments in a broad assortment of weaves and colors and we place them all subject to your selection at the choice for..... **\$6.90**

For Carnival Week we submit to your choosing hundreds of men's and young men's \$15.00 suits in a grand variety of the most stylish fabrics, weaves shapes and colors, take your pick for **\$11.40**

For Carnival week we will place on sale hundreds of men's and young men's splendidly styled \$16.50 and \$18.00 suits in all the new models, weaves, patterns and colorings your choice of them all for..... **\$13.50**

For Carnival week we will submit for your inspection about 25 Cravenettes, broken lines, one two and three of a kind left from our big spring lines that formerly sold at \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$13.50, this week your choice..... **\$7.95**



Straw Hats

For Carnival Week.
Men's \$1.50 and \$1.25 soft brim Straw Hats in a variety of styles, not all sizes of each style, special sale price... **\$1.00**

50 dozen Panamette Hats, the lightest and coolest hat on the market, special for carnival week... **35c**

Your choice of our entire lot of Children's 25c Straw Sailors, assorted colors and bands, Special for Carnival week..... **15c**



Men's Trousers

Two hundred pair of Men's Pants that sold at \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50, only two and three pair of a kind, special for Carnival week—

\$2.75 a pair

Men's Blue Serge Coats

Men's single and double breasted blue serge coats, just the thing for hot weather, special Carnival week price..... **\$3.00**

Boys' Blouse and Shirt Waists

That formerly sold at 39c, special for our first Carnival Sale..... **19c**

Bathing Suits

Men's and Boys' cotton and wool Jersey Bathing Suits at—

50c, 75c, \$1 & \$1.50

Men's Overalls

Men's Blue dotted stripe Bib Overalls, Union made, regular 50c value, special Sale Price—

39c



Boys' Summer Suits

For Carnival Week we have placed on sale nearly one hundred boys' \$3.50 two-piece double breasted knee pants suits, Norfolk and Novelty Suits in ages 3 to 16, at the choice of..... **\$2.75**

For Carnival week we have placed on sale one hundred and forty children's 2pc suits in a large variety of patterns ages 3 to 7 that formerly sold at from \$2.50 to \$5.00, to close them out quick we will give you your choice for..... **\$1.50**

For carnival week we have placed on sale a lot of young men's long pants suits ages 13 to 20, in a variety of patterns that formerly sold at \$6.50 and \$7.50, single and double breasted styles, your absolute choice..... **\$5.00**

Children's Wash Suits The most beautiful assortment ever shown in La Crosse, in all the new styles at greatly reduced prices—
50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 up to \$3.50



THE CONTINENTAL.

FERARI BROTHERS



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MERCHANT'S CARNIVAL

ON THE
CITY STREETS
AND
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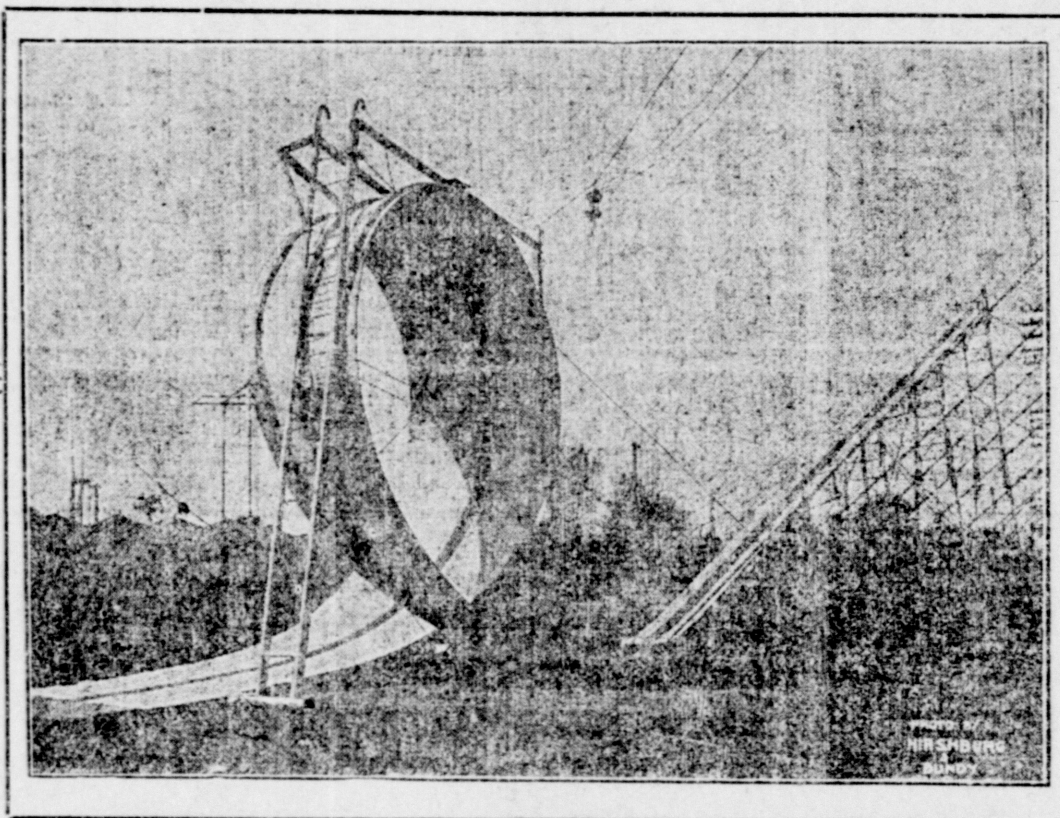


No. 1—Captain ELTRAZO and His Group of Forest Bred African Lions

Grand Opening
Monday Night
DON'T MISS
THE
FREE ACTS



No. 2—The Snake Enchantress

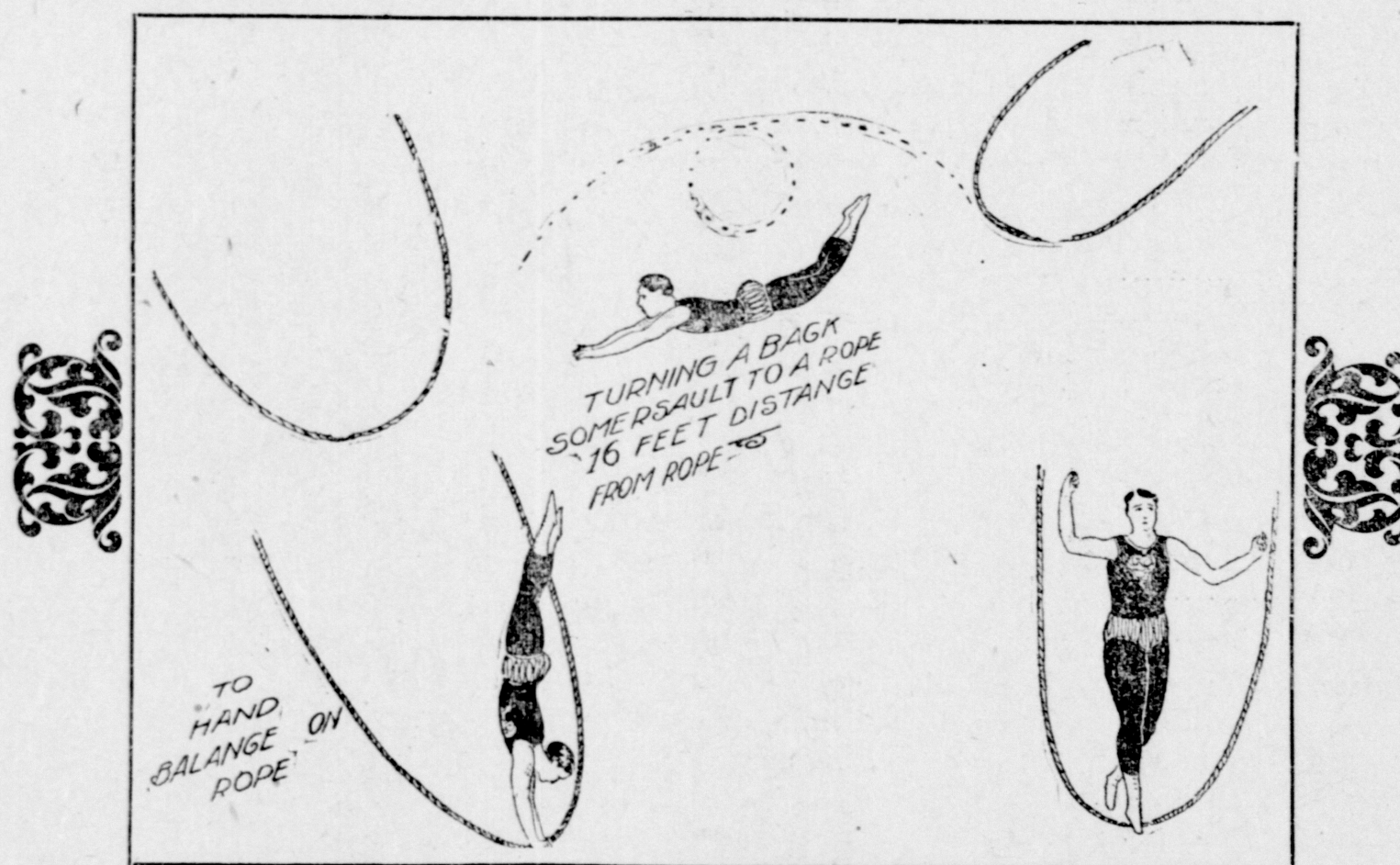


No. 3—Diavolo Looping the Loop



No. 4—The Dancing Bear

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...Acts...
Don't Forget
The Wagon
Bridge
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All Next Week



FREE BAND CONCERTS

MORNING, AFTERNOON, NIGHT

SWEDEN IS NOT PREPARED FOR WAR WITH NORWEGIANS

HER ARMY TOO SMALL TO RESIST CECESSION OF SISTER STATE

Part of Press, However Sniffs Battle From Far

Christiania, July 7.—Sweden's war party has become less aggressive of late, though the war press continues to spread stories regarding alleged threatening military movements on the part of Norway. These stories, however, receive less credit, now that Norway has denied them. The Swedish war press deprecates the fact that the government subdues the warlike tendencies of the riksdag.

Sweden Is Lacking in Soldiers.

Sweden is warned by the special committee of the government that the country is insufficiently prepared to wage successful war. Colonel Bratt, an esteemed Swedish military authority, publishes an article in a Swedish paper stating that Sweden is unable to raise more than 80,000 effective troops against Norway; while Norway says she can raise 70,000. The article has caused much comment in Sweden. It has produced a sobering effect after the boasting of the jingoists that 450,000 men could be put in the field. Most of the Swedish papers think 100,000 men can be raised, but admit this is too few for success.

Christiania General Impression.

Despite the motion in the Swedish riksdag for raising a war loan of 100,000,000 kroner (\$26,800,000), the general impression here is that Sweden is tired of war talk and will soon ask: "Why go to war when the union is not wanted?" However, it will be still some time before the Swedish mind will be clear. Norway's business continues undisturbed. Trade is stimulated by prospects of a good harvest. The tourist traffic is large; fewer Swedes, however, are traveling in the country.

Peace Sentiment Is Gaining.

Stockholm, July 7.—"Breathless anticipation" is hardly too strong a

phrase to describe the state of the public mind in relation to the forthcoming report of the riksdag committee charged with arranging a basis of settlement with Norway. There is still much war talk and still deep resentment against the Norwegians, but the peace sentiment is gathering in consistency and seems destined to win the day. Nevertheless the problem of obtaining a dissolution of the union which does not outrage Swedish feelings and does not expose Swedish interests to danger bristles with difficulties. The committee's report will probably not appear before July 12.

HOW THEY TALK AT LONDON

Collision Between the Two Countries Is Not an Impossibility.

London, July 7.—Recent information received by the British foreign office concerning the Swedish-Norwegian question shows that Sweden is developing a new diplomacy to meet the altered situation on the peninsula. This diplomacy regards Norway as an independent and conceivably hostile state and purposes to dispose Swedish naval and military resources accordingly. Nothing further is needed to explain the proposal to float an emergency loan of 100,000,000 kroner (\$26,800,000) and to dispatch a Swedish squadron to maneuver off the west coast instead of in the Baltic as formerly.

Until Sweden had made some response to Norway's elaborate preparations for war it would have been undignified if not absurd for Stockholm to announce a policy toward its neighbor. In other words, its diplomacy, in order to command respect and to stand any chance of success, must have a visible force behind it.

At the present moment, according to the highest authority, the influence likely to prevail at Stockholm are pacific; but the outcome is by no means assured. The navies and armies of the two countries are now practically in touch and a quarrel might arise over Sweden's terms that might bring them into collision. Speculation can go no further until the special committee of the riksdag discloses its programme.

Chicago Teacher Makes it Lively

Asbury Park, N. J., July 7.—At the convention of the National Educational association officers were elected and directors from the different states chosen. The officers are: President, Nathan C. Schaeffer, of Pennsylvania; first vice president, William Maxwell, of New York city; second vice president, Miss N. Cropsy, of Indiana; third vice president, J. H. Hemmenan, of Arkansas; secretary, Irwin Shepard, of Winona, Minn.; treasurer, J. A. Wilkinson, of Kansas.

When a proposition came up for re-incorporation of the association by the coming congress, the present incorporation running out in January next, Miss Margaret Haley, of Chicago, opposed, and on being ruled out of order appealed and was beaten on appeal. She then announced that she had power of attorney from a large number of the members and would make a fight in the courts against the plans. The report was adopted, but Miss Haley continued to speak, and the meeting was in something of an uproar when a motion to adjourn was carried.

ALFALFA BY IRRIGATION YELLOWSTONE VALLEY, MONTANA.

There are more than 60,000 acres of land watered by irrigation ditches and peculiarly adapted to the raising of alfalfa, for sale in the Yellowstone valley west of Billings, Mont.

The soil varies from gumbo to sandy loam, and alfalfa does well on all of it. The following figures show what alfalfa will do on irrigated, as compared with common hay on unirrigated, land.

One acre sown to alfalfa and irrigated, will produce 10,000 pounds of hay.

One acre in enclosed pasture, 500 pounds.

One acre of range averages 250 pounds. Or again:

One acre of irrigated alfalfa will feed one steer 400 days.

One acre of enclosed pasture will feed one steer 20 days.

One acre of average range will feed one steer 10 days.

Or putting it in the form of sheep, it will show as follows:

160 acres of irrigated alfalfa will maintain 1600 sheep one year.

160 acres of enclosed pasture will maintain 80 sheep one year.

And 160 acres of range will maintain 40 sheep one year.

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Write to C. W. Mott, general emigration agent, Northern Pacific Ry., St. Paul, Minn.

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Death Roll in Texas is 26

Fort Worth, Tex., July 7.—Twenty-six persons are known to have been killed and fifty injured by the tornado which swept over a portion of Montague county, in the northern part of this state, Wednesday. The property loss will probably total \$200,000. Following is a revised list of the dead: A. P. Earle, Sadie Earle, Buck Earle, infant of Lawrence Pillow; Tomlinson, his wife and four children; Mrs. C. C. Shackelford, Linnie Shackelford, Mrs. S. L. Tumleson, three children of Mrs. Tumleson, Mrs. Mary Lester, four children of Mrs. Lester, Caleb White, Mrs. C. H. Williams, Frank Eakin and two unknown persons at Jacksboro.

Among the more seriously injured are Miss M. Potts, may die; C. C. Shackelford; four Shackelford children, severely hurt; Claiborn White, may die; Miss Annie Austin, J. B. Wood and Frank Wood.

DRUNKEN MURDERER THROWN INTO A BULL RING

City of Mexico, July 7.—A drunken spectator, who was responsible for the goring of Sylvio Chico, a famous matador, was torn to pieces at a bull fight in Durango. Five bulls had been killed by Chico, and he had exhibited such skill that the thousands of spectators in the amphitheater were wild with enthusiasm. The sixth and last bull of the exhibition proved to be particularly large and fierce, and the cleverness of the matador in "playing" the animal gained him fresh applause. Just as he lunged forward, his sword penetrating the heart of the animal, a drunken man hurled a piece of iron pipe. The pipe struck the matador on the head and he fell in front of the bull. The enraged animal was upon him in an instant and succeeded in goring him six times. As soon as the people realized what had happened there was a rush for the drunken offender. He was thrown into the ring and there torn to pieces.

CHICAGO ACTRESS CHARGED WITH STEALING

London, July 7.—Annie Grant, of Chicago, claiming to be an actress, has been committed to a police court to stand trial at the Old Bailey on the charge of stealing a pearl necklace worth \$10,000, from Christie's auction rooms. The woman, whose real name is thought to be Annie Gleeson, according to the prosecuting counsel, visited Christie's, inspected the necklace and got a duplicate of imitation pearls, which on a second visit she substituted for the genuine, while the attendant's back was turned.

The prisoner obtained a continental passport at the United States embassy six months ago in the name of Annie M. Grant, of Chicago.

Trusts Spirit May be Broken by the Supreme Court

Milwaukee, July 7.—United States Circuit Judge Seaman, upon petition of counsel for the General Paper company, granted a request for permission to appeal from the decision requiring the submission of books of the General Paper company as evidence in the hearing instituted by the federal government. The appeal will be decided by the United States supreme court. In the meantime other witnesses will be examined.

The records contained in the books of Secretary L. M. Alexander, of the General Paper company, have been sought by counsel for the government, and upon refusal of the paper company officials to answer questions or turn over the books Judge Seaman was appealed to and decided in favor of the government. The appeal to the highest court will delay the more important testimony several months.

BRITISH STEAMER FORCED TO FLOAT U. S. FLAG ON THE FOURTH

Rochester, N. Y., July 7.—A protest has been filed with the Canadian minister of marine by Captain Simmons, of the Canadian schooner Acacia, because the Rochester port collector, Duane Bump, compelled him to lower the British flag on his vessel in the harbor at Charlotte on July 4. Collector Bump was informed that the Acacia had hoisted a large union jack on the morning of the Fourth and ordered Captain Simmons to haul it down, saying it was an insult to the national holiday. Simmons refused and threatened to shoot the collector if he boarded his vessel. Finally Simmons lowered the flag when threatened with refusal of his clearance papers.

Local Markets

CHEESE.
(By Henry Andregg.)
Full cream brick cheese10c
Full cream limburger12½c
Full cream, twins11½c
Full cream Young Americans12c
Full cream Swiss cheese14½c
German hand cheese per box90c

WOOL.
(By La Crosse Wool & Fur Co.)
Medium wool28@30

WHOLESALE GRAIN.
(By R. C. Wallace.)
New barley36@40
Wheat80@90
Corn40@47
Rye60@63
Oats27@29

WOOD.
(By Hawley Com. Co.)
Hard maple, 4 feet, dry4.75
Green4.50
Pine2.00@2.50

FRUITS.
(By John C. Burns.)
Cranberries, 100 qt. bbl\$4.00
Lemons, 300 California, per box2.50
Bananas, per bunch1.75@2.50
Messinos4.00
Figs, California, per box80c
Lettuce, per case40c
Tomatoes, per case2.50
Radishes, bunch3c
Strawberries, 18 qts75c
Pineapples, 18 to 36 crate3.00
Cabbage, old, per bbl1.50
Onions, red and yellow, per bu.1.25
Parsnips, per bbl1.50
Beets, peck50c
Potatoes, bushel30c
Carrots, bunch5c
Potatoes, new, per peck50c
Dates, new, per lb.5c
Cider, 16 gal.2.50
Oranges, California navels, per box2.75@3.50

FARM PRODUCE.
(By Hawley Com. Co.)
Creamery butter22c
Dairy butter15c
Packing stock13½
Eggs14c
Full cream brick cheese11c
Full cream Twins12c
Full cream limburger12½c
Full cream Swiss cheese14½c
Full cream long horn12c
Young American12c
German hand cheese, per box90c

PROVISIONS.
Bacon10½@11
Dried beef hams14½@15½
Hams10@11
Picnic hams7c
Sides7@7½
Lard8@8½
Mess Pork13.75
Barrell pork short cuts13.75
Back pork15.25
Clear back13.75

POULTRY.
Live chickens8@9
Spring chickens, each25@30
Live ducks9c
Live geese8c

MISCELLANEOUS.
Spring chickens, pound15c
Honey, pound13c
Rye flour, bestN. 009
Rye flour, 24-lb. sack70c
Corn meal, sack30c
Graham flour30c
Hazel nuts, quart5c
Strawberries, quart3 for 25c
Bermuda onions, pound10c
Spanish onions, pound10c
Hickory nuts, quart5c

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Dressed calves4.00@6.00
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| For Winona, Alma, Prescott, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winipeg and Northwest | 12:19 noon | 3:09 a. m. |
| | 3:30 a. m. | 12:15 night |
| | 3:09 a. m. | 12:19 noon |

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| | LEAVE | ARRIVE |
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| Chicago, Milwaukee and the East | 3:05 a. m. 12:40 p. m. 11:10 p. m. 12:40 a. m. | 3:10 a. m. 7:05 a. m. 10:55 a. m. 5:20 p. m. |
| Dubuque, Rock Island, Omaha and West | a 12:01 p. m. a 3:40 p. m. | a 11:30 a. m. a 4:45 p. m. |
| Southern Minnesota Division | a 10:40 a. m. c 7:20 p. m. | a 11:20 p. m. a 3:45 p. m. |

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PAUL JONES' BODY RESTS ON CAT-AFALQUE

AT CHERBOURG READY FOR TRIP

CHERBOURG, July 7.—The remains of Paul Jones with an escort of officials and sailors arrived at eight o'clock this morning from Paris. The party was officially received by the Maritime prefect and the coffin was removed from the special car and placed in a tent resting on a catafalque.

FARMER'S INCENSED OVER TAX RE-VISION

Supervisor of Assessments. Keizer says that there is much bitter feeling among farmer residents of the county because of alleged sharp practice by means of which the council has secured \$16,210 of county money to benefit the city. The farmers go further and claim that some of this money has been secured by the city under a method that is absolutely in violation of the statutes.

They claim that the first false step was taken when the city secured an alteration of the assessment rolls through the board of revision so that \$10,000 levied upon city property was unloaded onto country property.

The items over which there is ill feeling are as follows:
Assessment revision \$10,000
Black river bridge 2,600
Street pavement 2,110
Revision expense 1,500

Total, \$16,210

KILLED HIMSELF TO PAY OFF HIS DEBTS

MARINETTE, Wis., July 7.—The sterling honesty of the late Col. Charles J. Ellis is revealed in the letter he left addressed to his wife, the contents of which are just made known. Just before he went to his back yard and shot himself, Col. Ellis wrote affectionately to his family, telling them that he could not bear the burden of debt incurred since his removal as commandant of the Wau-paca Soldiers' home by orders of the governor. He had a life policy of \$3,000 and he instructed his wife to pay all his debts, amounting to \$1,000, from this and to keep the rest for the family. The soldiers' reunion was just about to be held here and the fact that he had no money to help entertain his old comrades with weighed heavily upon him. The letter was not a long one but told in every line of the cool bravery with which he performed his mistaken act. Undoubtedly the statement made here after the funeral by former Gov. Edward Scofield, that Col. Ellis would still be alive and commandant at Waupaca if he had not been so thoroughly honest and conscientious, was correct.

Proofs of Col. Ellis' death were on the Twentieth Century train, which was wrecked, and the mutilated records were returned here for correction, and a considerable delay has resulted in the payment of the insurance policy in consequence.

State News Condensed

Sheboygan—Gov. Warner of Michigan, who is interested in the cheese industry of Wisconsin, attended a meeting of the local dairy board. He will visit other markets.

Rhineland—Christian Robertson, aged 20 years, was accidentally shot and killed by Frank Rutledge, a companion with whom he was out shooting.

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UNITY, Wis., July 7.—James Smith shot and probably fatally wounded Roy Loney. Jealousy is the alleged cause of the deed. It is alleged that Loney has been paying undue attention to Smith's wife.

At the time of the shooting Loney was sitting by the side of a sister of Smith's wife, when the husband, without any words took down his Winchester and deliberately fired at him. The ball passed through his body from shoulder to shoulder.

Smith then went to a neighbor and informed him of what he had done and asked him to go for a doctor. He then proceeded to Colby where he gave himself up to the officers.

BABE RUNS AWAY WITH FATHER'S AUTO

RACINE, Wis., July 7.—When Edward Russell, assistant manager of the sales department of the J. I. Case Threshing Machine company left his 3-year-old son seating in an automobile, while he called upon a friend, he supposed the little fellow had no idea of the workings of the machine, but he did. He turned on the power and the machine started toward the lake, where there was an embankment sixty feet high. The father came out of the house, saw the situation at a glance and started racing after the machine, catching and stopping it near the edge of the embankment.

Police Believe They Have Burglar

KENOSHA, Wis., July 7.—E. Jackson Hovis has been arrested for the holdup of the Halbenstadt bakery. The police believe he is responsible for many of the numerous burglaries which have taken place in the last few weeks.

Hovis is not known in Kenosha and he refuses to make any statement. When his quarters on Ashland avenue were searched the officers found nothing but a lot of plated silverware.

Hovis is well dressed and appears to be a man of education. He protests that he is innocent. He was held in bonds of \$2,500.

ATTORNEY GENERAL THINKS CIGARETTES CAN'T BE CARRIED

MADISON, Wis., July 7.—Attorney General Sturdevant says that he believed the new anti-cigarette bill, prohibited any one from having cigarettes in his possession for his own personal use. The opinion was unofficial. "The language used, as I recall it," he said, "is 'make, keep or have' any of these prohibited articles. The word 'keep' would seem to me to mean to have possession of for one's own use or some one's else."

The attorney general thought that the best way to determine the controverted points would be to bring a test case.

Stevens Point Pleasure Seekers Pass Through Here

Dr. Bird, a well known Stevens Point specialist and a party of friends passed through the city this morning, stopping several hours to make connections for their home after an extensive trip down the river on a barge. Dr. Bird and four friends left Stevens Point on a barge and floated down the Wisconsin river to the mouth of the Mississippi. At Bridgeport they disposed of their boat. They reached La Crosse over the Burlington this morning and left at 12:40 over the Milwaukee for Kilbourn where they will make connections for Stevens Point.

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| Women's Suits | Silk Coats | Silks. |
|--|--|--|
| Talk about Clearance Sales, here is one that sets a pace for price cutting. | At Half Price. Black Taffeta Silk Coats, nobby styles. | 75c Foulard's silks reduced to..... 39c |
| Suits of chevots and novelty mixtures, nobby styles, tailor made, values up to \$20.00, Clearance Sale..... \$8.65 | \$20.00 Coats go at..... \$10.00 | 50c Corded Jap silks, clearance sale..... 29c |
| Suits of Etamine Voile, and Panamas, values up to \$25.00, Clearance Sale..... \$12.45 | \$15.00 Coats go at..... \$7.50 | \$1 and \$1.25 Fancies, checks and stripes, some are 27 inches wide, clearance sale..... 58c |
| Suits—Fine Suits of London twine, voiles and etamines, values up to \$35.00, Clearance Sale..... \$16.85 | \$12.00 Coats go at..... \$6.00 | \$1.50 Fancies in great variety clearance sale, per yard..... 69c |
| Silk Suits | Cravenettes | Dress Goods. |
| of changeable taffeta, in a number of beautiful shades, latest style, value \$15.00, Clearance Sale..... \$8.95 | Guaranteed shower proof, value \$12.50, Clearance Sale..... \$7.85 | 25c and 35c Dress Goods in plain and plaids, clearance sale, per yard..... 19c |
| Shirtwaist Suits | Dress Skirts | 50c and 65c Scotch mixtures clearance sale, per yard..... 29c |
| of printed percale and oxford, \$2.50 values, Clearance Sale..... \$1.39 | Skirts of chevot and broadcloth, in black and navy, taffeta trimmed values \$6.50, Clearance Sale..... \$3.85 | 75c Mohairs and novelty chiks clearance sale, per yard..... 43c |
| Suits of white and colored duck, \$3.50 values, go at..... \$1.89 | Dress Skirts of voiles, etamines and chevots, values up to \$12.50, Clearance Sale..... \$5.65 | \$1.25 Home spun and fancy mixtures; clearance sale, yd..... 69c |
| Suits of figured madras, neatly made, \$5.00 values, Clearance Sale..... \$2.48 | Dress skirts of fancy voiles and etamines, elaborately trimmed, values up to \$25.00, Clearance sale..... \$8.90 | Wash Goods. |
| Shirt Waists | Silk Petticoats | Vidette Batiste, 8 cent values, clearance sale, yard..... 31c |
| Slightly mussed, one washing will bring them back to original beauty | \$8.00 and \$7.50 colored silk petticoats, clearance sale..... \$3.75 | 12c Sterling Batiste, clearance sale, yard..... 51c |
| Waists that were \$1.00 and \$1.25, Clearance Sale..... 48c | \$10.00 black and colored silk petticoats, Clearance sale..... \$6.50 | 18c Dimities and Batiste, clearance sale, yard..... 11c |
| Waists of fine lawn, values up to \$2.00, clearance sale..... 78c | \$15.00 black taffeta silk petticoats, reduced to..... \$8.90 | 50c Madras, nub voiles and crashes, clearance sale, yd..... 19c |
| Waists of black sateen and white lawns, values up to \$3.50, Clearance Sale..... 98c | Wash Petticoats | Toile du Nord Gingham, 10c value, clearance sale..... 81c |
| Shirtwaists made of fine swiss, embroidered and tucked, \$4.50 and \$5.00 values, Clearance Sale..... \$2.75 | Petticoats of grey gingham, \$1.25 value, clearance sale..... 79c | Percales, yard wide, 10 cent values, clearance sale, yd..... 71c |
| Bressing Sacques | Wrappers | Dress Gingham, fast colors, 8 cent values, clearance sale price per yard..... 61c |
| made of figured lawns, were 75c, Clearance Sale..... 58c | Percale wrappers, values up to \$1.25, clearance sale..... 79c | White Goods. |
| Sacques of white lawn, slightly mussed, values up to \$1.00, Clearance Sale..... 38c | Wrappers of best cambrics, nicely made, values up to \$2.00, clearance sale..... \$1.28 | 15c India Linon and 40 inch lawn, clearance sale..... 9c |
| Underwear | Handkerchiefs | 35c white mercerized waists—clearance sale, yd..... 22c |
| Women's gauze vests, sleeveless and wing sleeves, lace trimmed, 15c values, Clearance Sale each..... 9c | Handkerchiefs that were 5c clearance sale 2 for..... 5c | Mercerized waisting, 75c values, clearance sale..... 38c |
| Gauze vests, taped neck, sleeveless 19c values Clearance Sale..... 13c | Ladies' handkerchiefs, 10c values, clearance sale 3 for..... 10c | Laces and Embroideries. |
| Union Suits, Jersey ribbed, knee length, were 50c, Clearance Sale..... 35c | Men's Handkerchiefs, 10c values, clearance sale 3 for..... 10c | 8c Embroideries and insertions clearance sale, per yard..... 31c |
| Men's Balbriggan vests and drawers, Clearance Sale..... 19c | Linens | 15c Embroideries and insertions, clearance sale, yd..... 9c |
| Men's white shirt, long or short bosom, value 50c, Clearance Sale..... 38c | 35c table linens, half bleached clearance sale, yard..... 22c | Laces—8 cent Torchon laces, clearance sale, yd..... 31c |
| Hosiery | 65c table linens, bleached or half bleached, clearance sale yard..... 42c | 15 cent Linen Torchon laces, clearance sale..... 81c |
| Women's fast black or tan hose, 15c value, Clearance Sale..... 9c | 75c table linens, clearance sale..... 58c | Corsets. |
| Children's fast black ribbed hose, value 15c, Clearance sale pair..... 9c | Toweling linen and huck toweling value 121c, clearance sale, yard..... 9c | Odd Lot Ferris Corset waist—were \$1.00, small sizes only, clearance sale..... 25c |
| Children's lace hose, 15c value, Clearance Sale..... 6c | Toweling, bleached damask and unbleached crash, 8c values Clearance Sale..... 51c | Odd lot corsets—were \$1.00 including W. B. and Royal Worcester corsets, clearance sale..... 68c |
| Children's lace hose, 25c value Clearance Sale pair..... 11c | Towels, 18c values, clearance sale..... 9c | Straight front W. B. and W. C. C. corsets, values up to \$2.00 clearance sale..... 98c |
| Men's Sox, black or tan, 15c values, Clearance Sale pair..... 9c | Towels, 20c values, hemstitched huck, clearance sale..... 15c | Umbrellas. |
| Muslin Underwear | Turkish towels 18x36, 15c values, clearance sale..... 9c | 65c Fast black Umbrellas, clearance sale..... 48c |
| Women's Night Gowns tucked yoke, 50c values, Clearance Sale..... 39c | Fancy Collars | 85c Umbrellas, natural wood handles, clearance sale..... 69c |
| 85c Night Gowns, empire style, embroidery trimmed, Clearance Sale..... 48c | 25c stock collars, clearance sale..... 10c | \$1.25 Fast black rain proof Umbrellas, clearance sale..... 90c |
| White petticoats, hemstitched and tucked ruffle, 90c value, Clearance sale..... 58c | 50c Stocks Clearance sale..... 22c | \$1.50 Sicilian Taffeta Umbrellas, variety of handles, clearance sale..... \$1.18 |
| \$1.25 Petticoats, hemstitched and embroidered ruffle, Clearance Sale..... 78c | 25c laundred linen collars, hemstitched, clearance sale..... 15c | \$1.75 Umbrellas, fast black, extra quality, clearance sale, price..... \$1.38 |
| Drawers, tucked and hemstitched ruffles, 35c values, Clearance Sale..... 22c | 50c linen cuffs, hemstitched, clearance sale..... 25c | Sheetings. |
| Corset Covers—25c embroidery trimmed corset covers Clearance Sale..... 19c | 20c Collar Tabs, great variety clearance sale..... 10c | Unbleached muslin, yd wide, 41c clearance sale..... 41c |
| 15c Corset covers, plain high neck, clearance sale..... 12c | Baby Bonnets. | Bleached Muslin, fruit of loom, yard wide, clearance sale price..... 61c |
| | 35c Mull baby bonnets, clearance sale..... 19c | Sheeting—2 yards wide, bleached or half bleached, 20c value, clearance sale..... 16c |
| | 50c Baby bonnets, tucked and shirred, clearance sale..... 35c | Sheeting—21 yards wide, unbleached, 25 cent value, clearance sale..... 22c |
| | Notions. | Sheets—bleached and ready for use 61 by 90, 50c value, clearance sale..... 39c |
| | 15c Dress shields..... 9c | Sheets—\$1x90, bleached, hemmed and ironed, ready for use 60c value, clearance sale..... 48c |
| | 15c Tooth brushes..... 9c | Pillow Cases—42x36, bleached, value 15 cents, clearance sale price..... 10c |
| | 500 yds spool cotton..... 4c | Pillow cases—45x36, value 18 cents, clearance sale..... 12c |
| | 12 Shell hair pins..... 10c | Prints and Gingham. |
| | 15c Back combs..... 10c | 6c Dress prints—clearance sale 31c per yard..... 31c |
| | Clark's crochets..... 10c | Apron Gingham—clearance sale, per yard..... 31c |
| | 50c La Blache face powder..... 35c | 8 cent Crestone and comforter |
| | Scissors, 7 sizes, choice..... 25c | |
| | Skein silk, odd shades, skein..... 1c | |
| | Bed Spreads | |
| | \$1.25 Bed Spreads, 11-14 size, 89c | |
| | \$1.75 Bed Spreads, warranted not weighted with foreign substance, clearance sale..... \$1.18 | |
| | \$3.00 Bed Spreads, mercerized, full size, Clearance Sale..... \$2.20 | |